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Willamette Clean Up plan

I participated in a city sponsored outreach as well. That outreach was biased toward industry.

At a time when the State of Oregon has been caught holding the bag on lead and heavy metal contamination in the community and schools - not revealing information they had until recently - it becomes MORE important to clean the river that runs through Portland, not less.

The draft cleanup plan leaves far too much of the river contaminated for generations to come. At least 1,000 acres of polluted sediment should be removed from the river.

The cleanup plan must result in the removal of the Fish Consumption Advisory so that eating fish from the Lower Willamette is just as safe as eating fish from anywhere else in the Willamette River system. This must occur within a 10-20 year time frame.

Creating a toxic waste disposal dump in our river is not acceptable—toxic dredged sediments must be taken to an appropriate landfill.

Entities with liability for the pollution must be held accountable and pay for a comprehensive cleanup that will protect the health of our communities, our environment and our wildlife. This includes our city, state, and businesses.